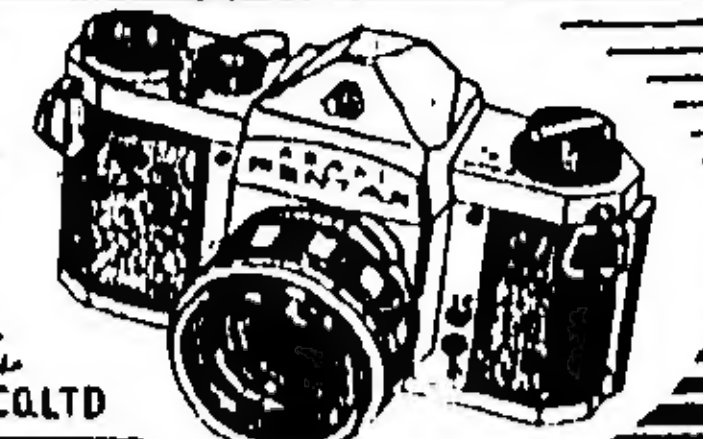


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Grim discovery in Ping Chau island BODY UNDER A STOVE

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**HELP FOR
HONDURAS**

THE British Honduras Government's decision to approach Hongkong for immigrants will be more than welcome here as there has been an almost total disinclination by other countries to even consider accepting some of our refugees.

The offer of loans to immigrants, repayable over a period of low interest rates, will offer an inducement which should appeal to those who are willing to undertake the venture. Priority is apparently to be given to farmers, but whether Hongkong has a surplus of men in this category is questionable, although it is likely that younger members of the agricultural community will find the idea attractive.

If Hongkong is to go along with the scheme and there is no reason why it should not give it its full support, the Government must undertake the responsibility of ensuring that the would-be migrants are of the right type and are fully apprised of the life ahead of them which will be far from comfortable as British Honduras is still a frontier country.

The Government might go even further by approaching the Home Government to work out a three-way partnership in co-operation with British Honduras.

If Hongkong selected the migrants, prepared them and provided their meals during the journey the Home Government might be induced to supply the transport. Thus British Honduras would be relieved of part of the burden.

CAMOUFLAGE

THE Soviet Premier's activities seem to indicate that he has already made up his mind that nothing will be accomplished at the summit conference in Paris and is all set to reap the benefits of failure. He is already stepping up his psychological attacks against the West on a number of fronts. His latest call for a ban on nuclear tests, while appearing to have merit on the surface, contains nothing that is new when the camouflage is stripped off. In fact, it has all been said before. The meeting of the Warsaw Pact leaders was another occasion for a torrent of familiar high-sounding phrases which have yet to advance the cause of world peace.

Apparently Mr Khrushchev is approaching the summit with the object of pressing for total world disarmament and the express intention of making the most of it, knowing full well that this is impossible under prevailing world tensions. The psychological impact on a world desirous of peace cannot be denied and such an appeal undoubtedly finds many adherents among idealists.

The Soviet leader obviously does not expect to get anywhere near agreement on such a proposal. He would probably be the most amazed man in the world if he did.

Dead woman's son-in-law goes on trial

Crown Counsel told the Criminal Sessions this morning how the leader of a police penetration patrol found a partly decomposed human body under a cooking stove in a cooked food shop on Ping Chau Island.

Mr. Dennis D'Almada, Remedios, was opening the prosecution's case in the trial of 31-year-old Lam Man-hung, who is accused of murdering his mother-in-law, Wong Tai-mui, the dead body of whom was found in a cooked food shop on Ping Chau Island.

Mr. D'Almada said that he had examined the remains of the body and found 37 wounds, which he described as multiple stab wounds to the head, neck and hands.

Mr. D'Almada would also say that the death was caused by shock and haemorrhage from open wounds on the neck.

Not happy

Addressing the court on the circumstances of the case, Mr. D'Almada alleged that the relationship between the accused and his mother-in-law had not been happy.

Lam, he said, was the proprietor of a cooked food shop at 14 Wing On Street, Ping Chau Island, which was situated in an unimproved but in a good road.

Shortly after 2 a.m. on November 6, 1959, shouts of "save life" were heard by some of the residents of the buildings adjacent to No. 14.

Mr. D'Almada said that the trial was a murder trial at the Criminal Sessions this morning, refused at first to swear in because he said he was a Roman Catholic and was against capital punishment.

The trial judge, Mr. Justice K. R. Macfadyen, told him, however, that it was only the jury's job to come to a conclusion on certain facts.

"The sentence is passed by the judge," Mr. Justice Macfadyen said. In view of these remarks, the juror then withdrew his objections, and was sworn in. The jury, which is hearing the trial of Lam Man-hung, 31, accused of murdering his mother-in-law, Wong Tai-mui, consists of four men and three women.

adjacent to No. 14," counsel continued. "You will hear them saying that the voice was that of a woman."

"You will also hear from the village guard, Mr. Chau Ming-fung, who had just finished patrolling the village and was about to retire for the night."

"He will tell you that on hearing the shout 'save life' he came out to investigate."

Carried bucket

He later saw the accused emerge from the front door of No. 14 carrying a bucket. Lam, he said, emptied the bucket outside the side door in the lane, and returned to the house. Later on Lam went out again and according to the village guard, seemed to be going in the direction of the village market.

Counsel said the court would hear that Lam seemed surprised when he encountered the guard. Mr. Chau asked accused what was the matter with him, and Lam had replied: "I was chopped once by 'kui'." 'Kui' means 'she' or 'it,' Mr. Remedios said.

The guard had then asked the accused to show him the wound.

and Lam showed him an injury on his left thigh.

Mr. Remedios said that evidence would be heard that accused was wearing a white singlet and short pants, and that the white singlet was stained with blood.

"Mr. Chau then went to the side lane and flashed his torch on the spot where he had seen the accused empty his bucket of water," Counsel continued.

Bloodstains

"You will hear that with the aid of his torch, the village guard left the surrounding ground and found it wet with bloodstains," he said.

Counsel said that later in the morning, Lam had gone to Cheung Chau medical clinic, where he had had the thigh wound treated.

Mr. Remedios said that on the evening of the following day, November 7, a police village penetration patrol arrived in the village during their normal duties. As a result of what he was told, the corporal in charge made investigations and with Lam's permission, searched his house.

The body was later found there and CID officers summoned. On November 11, Lam was formally charged with the murder, Mr. Remedios said.

Mr. Charles A. Chung, instructed by Mr. P. Wong of Lau, Chan and Co., is representing Lam.

The trial continues before Mr. Justice K. R. Macfadyen.

Dart—and tea—record

Nicosia, Feb. 21. Eight Royal Air Force Corporals today set a world record by scoring 1,000,000 points in a dart game which lasted 47 hours and 21 minutes.

The airman knocked four hours and 46 minutes off the former world record of 42 hours and eight minutes held by the Loughborough College of Technology.

In setting the new record, the airman downed more than 400 cups of tea and probably walked over 100 miles in front of the dart board.—UPI.

Helicopter vs eagle

Grenoble, Feb. 21. An eagle with a seven-foot wing spread attacked an army helicopter yesterday in the alpine foothills near this city in southern France.

The plane's rotor sheared off one of the eagle's talons and part of its back. Children later found the bird dead by the side of Lake Thuille.

The bird, believed to be a golden eagle, weighed 10½ lbs.—UPI.

Leopard scare

Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 21. Police stood by with drawn guns when two hungry leopards escaped from their snowbound circus cages here today and terrified lorry drivers and other alarm-weary travellers seeking refuge at a super-highway restaurant. An animal trainer finally cornered the two animals.—Reuter.

Why Jimmy smiles



Jimmy Shuet smiles happily—and he has good reason to.

He is clutching his brand new passport which will enable him to fly to his new home in America.

Jimmy was born in November, 1958. He is part Negro, part Chinese. His mother was not able to keep him.

He has been cared for by a Hongkong family and will be sent by International Social Service to the home of his new foster parents in New York state later this week.

In the above picture, 15-month-old Jimmy proudly displays his new passport to a China Mail photographer.

Countess's body to be flown to London

Singapore, Feb. 22. Arrangements are being made here this morning to fly the body of Lady Mountbatten back to London tomorrow.

Lady Mountbatten died in her sleep in Jesselton, on Saturday night and her body was flown here late last night.

The wreath-covered coffin was taken to the British military hospital in central Singapore. A London report said Lady Mountbatten was to have been the godmother of the Queen's third baby. The Queen has called for a week's family mourning.—Agencies.

Surprise British disclosure on Chessman case

Kettering, Feb. 22. Police said they have sent U.S. authorities copies of a statement by a British taxi driver who claims he may have evidence bearing on the case of Caryl Chessman.

The taxi-driver, Edward Allan, told police a U.S. serviceman once boasted to him of committing crimes in the United States similar to those on which Chessman was convicted and condemned to die.

Allan said the American also claimed he had committed the crimes in the same locality where Chessman was "said to operate."

Allan, who said the American hired his cab about 18 months ago, told newsmen:

RESPONSIBLE

"Chessman has always claimed his innocence and the recent publicity of the case recalled to mind the American serviceman. The American had a girl with him at the time and said he was responsible for crimes in America."

"Shortly afterward, the American died in a railway accident and I believe it was assumed he had committed suicide. I have told the police all I can remember about this because I think it may have a bearing on the Chessman case." Kettering police said the statement had been handed to the American Embassy in London.

The London newspaper Reynolds News said the information had already set off new inquiries in California whether another man may have committed the offences for which Chessman had been sentenced.

CAPITAL PUNISHMENT In San Francisco, it was learned today that a majority of California's State senators would vote against the controversial bill to abolish capital punishment.

A United Press International survey showed that a bill, drafted by Governor Edmund G. Brown when he granted Chessman a 60-day reprieve, would be defeated in the Senate and possibly in the Assembly as well.—AP and UPI. (See Also Page 3)

Damaged?

Buenos Aires, Feb. 22. A senior Navy official denied that two Argentine navy Corvettes attacked and presumably damaged a mystery submarine today in Golfo Nuevo, southern Argentina.—AP.

Record size building for Kowloon

Plans to erect a 17-storey building of record size in Kowloon, to cost \$14 million were submitted to the Tenancy Tribunal this morning.

The applicants are seeking exemption for the existing four-storey buildings in a block at 38 to 39, Nathan Road involving two corner positions with 12 to 14, Peking Road and 2, Lock Road.

The scheme consists of three phases.

The first, which will contain 22 shops on the ground and first floors with 214 flats on the upper floors, was the concern of the Tribunal today. The second phase of the building would contain 40 shops and 321 flats and the third phase, 23 shops and 214 flats.

OVER 700 FLATS

There would be a total, when the scheme is completed, of 749 flats and 85 shops.

A car park in the basement would provide parking for 25 cars for the first phase and eventually a total of 75 cars under the three blocks.

Each block would take 20 months to build.

The building will be similar to the Mirador Mansions scheme.

The architect is Mr C. C. Chang.

There are 54 opponents, some of whom have businesses on the ground floor, such as curio shops, tailors, silk stores, etc, while others are tenants of domestic accommodation.

The applicants, The Ming Man Land Investment Co., Ltd., are represented by Mr Leo d'Almada and Mr N. D. L. Wright, instructed by Mr Y. H. Chan, of Lau, Chan and Co.

ACCOMMODATION

Mr d'Almada said that it had been decided to propose the building of the new blocks in three phases, partly for the sake of the present tenants who would have more time to find further accommodation if all the building were not started at once. All existing tenants had been offered accommodation in the new building.

The applicants were already constructing a multi-storied block to be known as Telmashaul Mansions, nearby, for which they had ample financial coverage.

The Tribunal consists of Mr J. E. Dargan (President), Mr Au-Yang Yick-Fung and Major A. N. Braude.

Japanese store to start in July

CHINA MAIL REPORTER

A multi-million-dollar Japanese department store will start up in Hongkong sometime in July.

The Japanese enterprise, with the support of a number of noted Hongkong businessmen, will occupy three floors of the Great George and Peterson Buildings in Causeway Bay.

Five hundred local people will be employed. The total area of the new business centre will occupy 90,000 square feet.

Daimaru Ltd., in Japan, sponsor of the new enterprise, employ 100,000 people in their branches all over Japan.

The new department store will feature the biggest entrance in Hongkong, air-conditioning throughout the organization and an escalator.

Japanese technicians will come to Hongkong to design the interior of the department store. The store, it was learned, will sell more than 10,000 kinds of commodities.

Indians set refugee target

CHINA MAIL REPORTER

The Indian community of Hongkong has set a target of a minimum of \$50,000 as its contribution towards the World Refugee Year Fund, it was learned this morning.

In a letter to the Hongkong Committee for the WRY, Mr H. T. Barma, President of the Indian Association, announced that his organisation, and the Indian Chamber of Commerce are launching a joint appeal for donations.

The appeal, written and circulated among Indians here, and signed by the Chairman of the Indian Chamber of Commerce and Mr Barma, states that although many members of the Indian community had already received requests to aid the WRY fund, it was felt that a united effort by the community as a whole "would serve the cause better than individual contributions."

"Indians have always been charity-minded," the appeal states, "and although we know that not one of you will refuse this request, we ask you to exert every effort and to donate more than usual. This appeal will not be an annual affair. Your efforts will enhance the name of Indians in Hongkong."

"Donations, no matter how big and no matter how small, will be most welcome," the joint appeal added.

It was also announced that to give an incentive to the project, three prominent Indians have pledged to donate, between themselves, 20 cents to every dollar collected.

A special committee has been formed for the purpose of raising the money, and consists of Messrs H. N. Harleau, P. T. Melwan, B. Vercoorn, D. P. Sarin, B. R. Singh, M. N. Master, H. T. Barma and the Chairman of the Indian Chamber of Commerce.

Asian flu on the increase

Asian flu is on the increase in the Colony it was learned this morning.

The number of cases in recent weeks is said to be 40 per cent more than usual, a doctor in a Colony clinic told the China Mail.

"This, however, does not indicate that the disease is on an epidemic scale," he added. Asian flu is reported to be on the increase in many parts of the Far East, particularly Indonesia and Manila.

Blackpool, Feb. 21.

Three workmen digging a hole in a road here were saved from certain death by their rubber boots when one of their pneumatic drills struck a 550-volt power cable.

The sheet of flame that shot up from the cable melted away three inches of the drill. But the men jumped out of the hole unharmed.—China Mail Special.

AFRICANS WILL RULE BRITISH COLONY

Kenya conference ends

'DEATH BLOW TO EUROPEANS'

London, Feb. 21.

The Kenya constitutional conference ended here today after five weeks and a European delegate said, "This conference is the death blow for Europeans in Kenya."

No agreement was reached on the important issue of land safeguards in the framework of a new constitution.

A conference report to the delegates in private session this afternoon noted the "general agreement" by the major groups on constitutional proposals to provide an African-majority Parliament next year.

Land safeguards

The only group to reject the proposals outright was the European Settlers' United Party, led by Group Captain Llewellyn Briggs.

A conference source said it was understood that at the private session, Mr. Iain Macleod, the Colonial Secretary, said that

as there was no agreement on land safeguards, he would have to make his own proposals when making his recommendations to the British Cabinet.

The source said Mr. Macleod also indicated that the British Government would take over the full cost of the land forces in Kenya, thus releasing more than £1 million for education, and that Britain would underwrite loans of up to £5 million for resettlement purposes, along the lines of a land development board, which had been discussed by the conference.

Mr. Macleod told delegates that "although this is the end of the Kenya conference it is not an end but a beginning—and the beginning of a new phase for Kenya."—*Reuter*.

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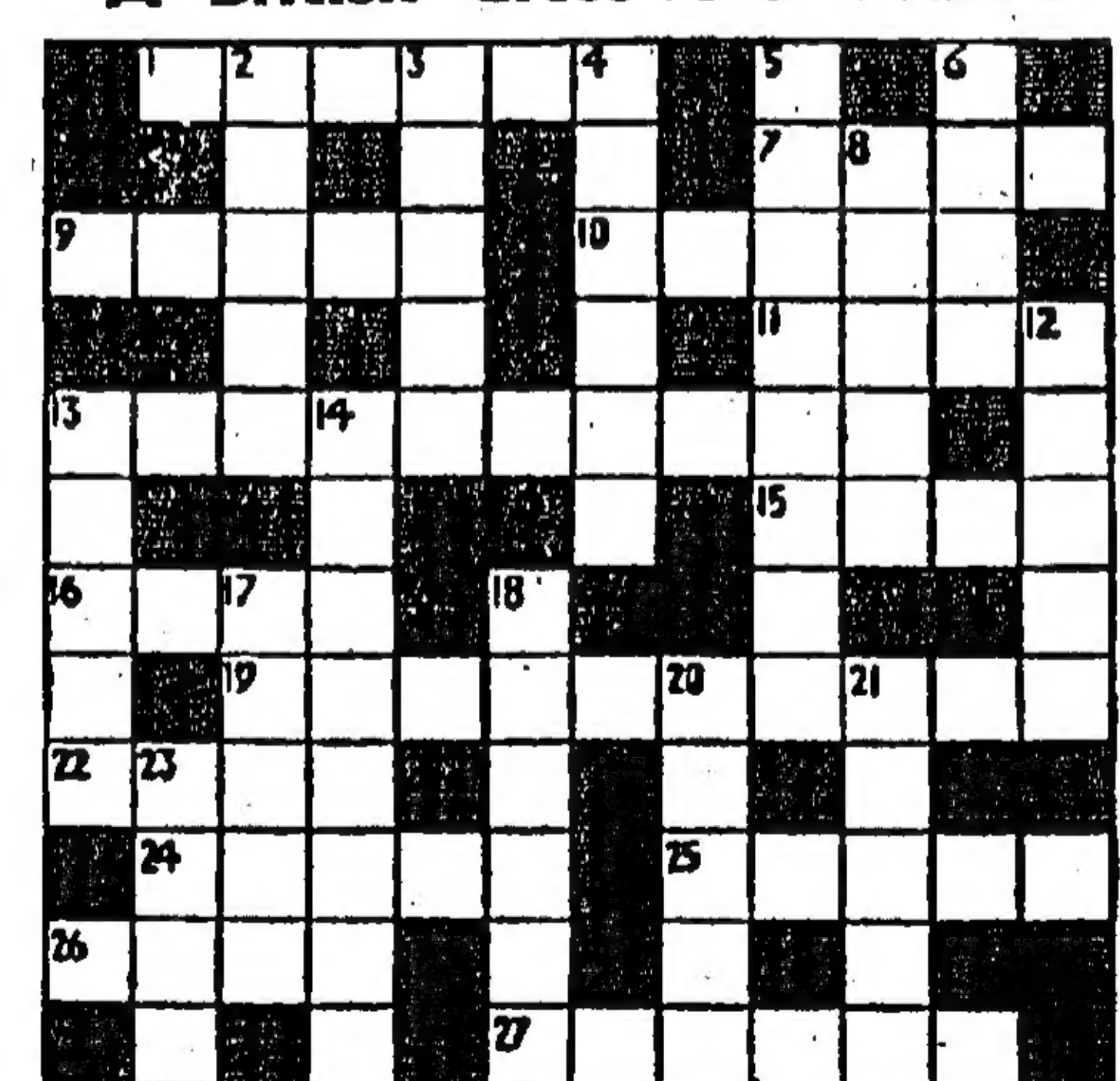
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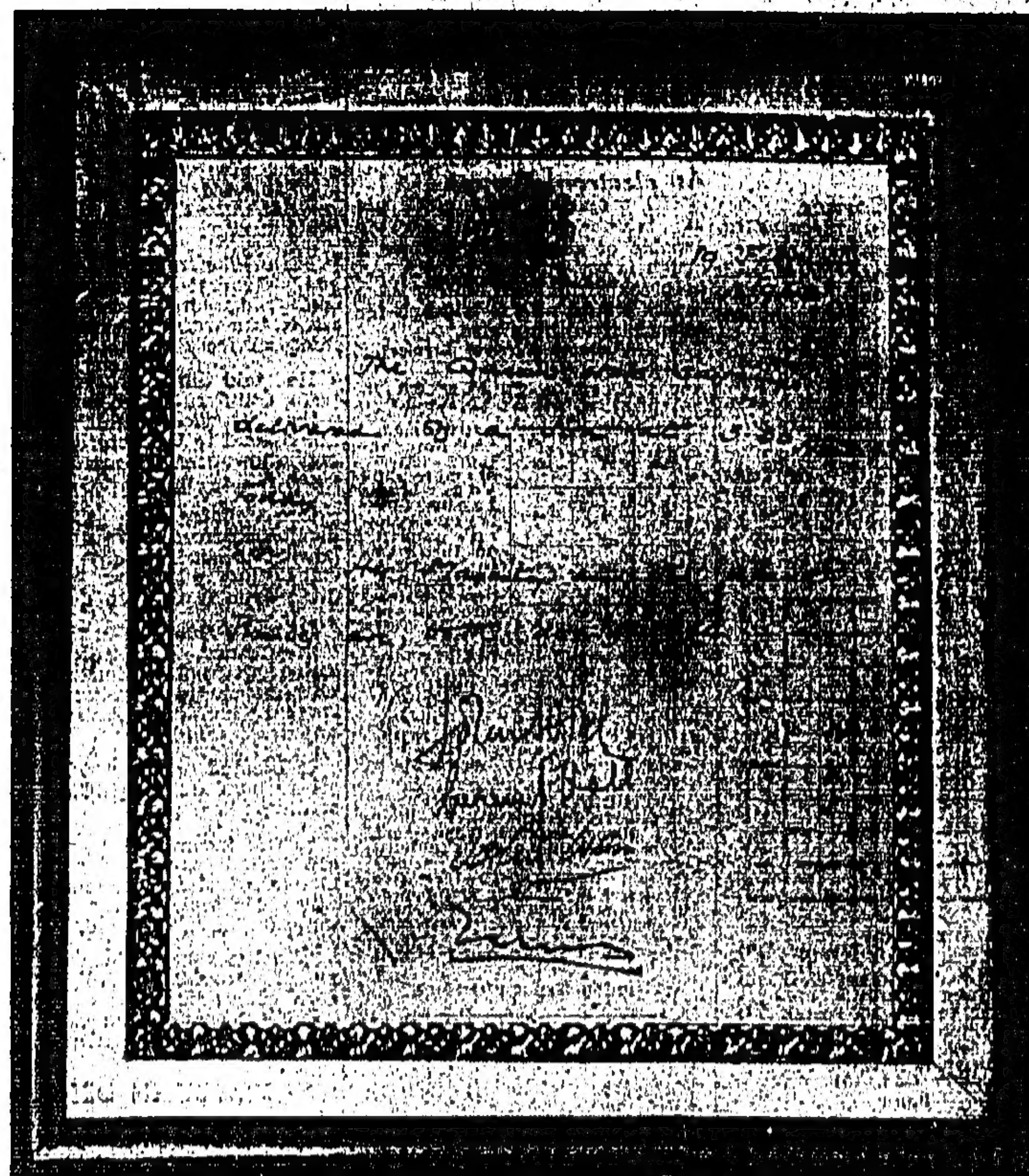
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- ACROSS**
- Facing greyhound? (6)
 - The dash of the Lancans. (4)
 - Noise thicker? (5)
 - Of less importance? (5)
 - Poets' "crus" (4)
 - Swartby directors in the class-room? (10)
 - Man, maybe. (4)
 - A long way off. (4)
 - Curp mentioned is put back (10)
 - Get the ball out (4)
 - Lifeline as in a liner today (6)
 - Confuse learned divine in drink. (5)
 - Historic times. (4)
 - Embrace, sec. on a vast scale? (6)
- DOWN**
- She turns without changing (5)
 - Swallowed. (5)
 - Nonsensical rubber? (5)
 - Mias Spain. (6)
 - Hook. (4)
 - Noble cricket ground. (5)
 - Place of a substitute for dates. (5)
 - Impetuous. (5)
 - Slap-happy? (5)
 - Battlefield. (5)
 - Grab a fragment of song. (6)
 - Possibly nasal sound. (5)
 - Flow, if any, rivers are this at their source. (5)
 - Country with a lake up in the U.S. (4)

SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD—Across: 1 Turner, 4 Weir, 7 Ernest, 8 Shackleton, 10 Bede, 12 Crookes, 15 Otherwise, 16 Pail, 17 Love, 19 Robin, 20 Dreamer, 21 Adit, 23 Sorew, 24 Be-long, 25 Lead, 26 Brandt. Down: 1 The-e-bald, 2 Ringdove, 3 Ezra, 5 Ethiopia, 6 R-ache-4, 9 Error, 11 Steamers, 12 Ceres, 13 Lordford, 14 Sit tight, 16 Oracle, 22 Vera.

PALACE BULLETIN



Seen above is the bulletin announcing the birth of a son to the Queen on the railings of Buckingham Palace last Friday. A happy crowd of about 2,000 people was there to receive the good news. The bulletin was signed by the four doctors attending the Queen. —*Reuter Photo*.

Domestics like America

New York, Feb. 21. Mrs. Vera Sugg, director of a private British employment agency, has arrived here to study the needs of American families for domestic help.

Mrs. Sugg, who has placed about 150 British girls in American homes during the past year, said: "The demand for domestics in the United States is fantastic."

She added that she hoped to place a further 1,500 British girls during this year. Mrs. Sugg told reporters that most of the girls already placed have said they did not want to return to England because "they love the American way of life even though they have to work harder." —*China Mail Special*.

New name

London, Feb. 21. Joseph J. Taylor, General Manager, said today his Workers Travel Association would change its name to Galloco Holidays Ltd., because "we have been fighting a losing battle against 20th century class consciousness." —*UPI*.

IKE ANSWERS HIS DEFENCE PLAN CRITICS

Washington, Feb. 21.

President Eisenhower answered his defence critics tonight by asserting that the United States has built "an indestructible force of incalculable power, ample for today and constantly developing to meet the needs of tomorrow."

The President defended his defence programme in a nationwide radio-TV speech outlining the goals of his two-week, 13,000-mile trip to Brazil, Argentina, Chile and Uruguay. He embarked on his journey tomorrow.

The President said unbiased observers recognized and respected America's massive deterrent strength.

He said the United States maintained hundreds of bombers throughout the world and they were far superior to the fleet of any other country. He also cited U.S. aircraft carriers and the "abundantly" increasing supply of U.S. missiles.

Discussing his South American trip, Mr. Eisenhower said he would assure the Latin American republics the United States will work with them steadily to promote the security and well-being of everyone in this hemisphere.

He said this effort sometimes is hampered by misunderstandings. One of these, he said, is a belief this country forgets its neighbours because of its preoccupation with the threat of Communist imperialism and defence problems.

"It is true that we have given first priority to worldwide measures for security against the possibility of military aggression," he said.

"I hope to make clear on my journey that our military programmes at home and abroad have been designed on one purpose only—the maintenance of peace, as important to Latin America as to us." —*UPI*.

The daughter of a Chicago stock-broker, she and her mother moved to Europe in 1938 and lived in London, Paris, Florence and elsewhere. Social pages were full of her legendary champagne parties and she became the toast of two continents. She received proposals of marriage from dufer barons and society leaders by the score—she puts the total at 85—but refused them all until she met London artist Hugh William de Wit, 60.

Miss Baker, 59, first hit the headlines as a pretty Chicago debutante in 1922 when she left Alvin Karpis standing at the altar with the church full of people. "The shy bride of 1922" as she became known was later to connect plans to marry McCormack five more times.

DISTINCTION
De Wit is an English-born member of a prominent South African-Dutch family. He has recently gained some prominence as a sculptor in London though his earlier career

won him distinction as one of Britain's outstanding pre-war soldiers of fortune.

He flew for Abyssinia in the war with Italy and later with the Republican forces during the Spanish civil war. He was in Czechoslovakia when the Nazis moved in.

The Gestapo arrested him and his wife, a white Russian countess, and accused him of working as a spy for the French intelligence.

He was tortured by the Gestapo and his wife committed suicide. Before he was convicted and sent to prison to await execution, Day by day then for the rest of the war he waited for the knock at his cell door. It never came. He was eventually freed by

SLIM'S SON LOST AND FOUND

Plymouth, Feb. 21.

Five helicopters searched Dartmoor today when Major John Slim, 80-year-old only son of Field-marshal Sir William Slim, former Governor-General of Australia—was reported missing on an army exercise.

Major Slim, who had been missing since early yesterday while taking part in an escape and evasion exercise in Dartmoor National Park, was found this afternoon by a member of his unit.

He was driven in a Land Rover to rejoin his troops, temporarily based at barracks near here.

The search for Major Slim began after he was reported to have been taken ill.

DISAPPEARED

His companion had gone for help, but on returning found Major Slim had disappeared. There was more than four feet of snow in the area when he was missed.

Troops were about to begin a ground search when news came through that he had been found.

A Southern Command spokesman said:

"The officer is safe and, as far as we know, not unwell." Major Slim, 30, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, was married in July, 1958. His wife gave birth to a son just over a week ago.—*China Mail Special*.

'Tsar Cannon' moved to new site

London, Feb. 21.

A giant cannon intended to defend the Kremlin in the 16th century has been moved from the emplacement where it has rested for the past 120 years, according to Tass.

Known as the "Tsar Cannon" it is one of the Kremlin's landmarks.

It was cast in 1586 by famous Moscow gunsmith, Andrey Choklov. It has a barrel more than 17 feet 8 inches long and weighs 40 tons and has a 38-ton carriage.

But it never fired any of its two-ton cannon balls.

Tass said it had been moved closer to another Kremlin monument, the "Tsar Bell," cast in 1735.—*China Mail Special*.

German consul for Queensland

Brisbane, Feb. 21.

Queensland's first German consul in 48 years will be sworn in at a ceremony in Brisbane tomorrow.

The new consul, a Brisbane businessman Mr. Bruce Shearer, will be sworn in by the German Consul-General in Australia, K. Brunhoff.

Mr. Shearer cannot speak a word of German—but said today that he was looking for a German-speaking secretary.—*China Mail Special*.

Chessman case arouses major controversy

Sacramento, Calif., Feb. 21.

A major storm was brewing here today over convict-author Caryl Chessman's eighth reprieve from the gas chamber.

The coming week may see the death cell drama, which has attracted world-wide attention as Chessman fought for his life over the past 12 years, develop into a political crisis centered round the man who reprieved him, Governor Edmund Brown of California.

For in granting Chessman yet another last-minute stay of execution, Governor Brown has aroused great controversy in Washington and here, the state capital.

WARNING

Announcing the 60-day reprieve in the early hours of Friday morning, the Governor also called the State Assembly to meet on February 23 to debate capital punishment still endorsed in California. His decision, he said, was partly influenced by a State Department telegram passing on a warning from the U.S. Embassy in Moscow that hostile demonstrations would greet President Eisenhower when he visits Uruguay on March 2 if Chessman were executed.

In the federal capital, several senators urged intervention in the judicial procedures of a state.

New doubts were raised in Washington yesterday by the disclosure that 24 hours before the State Department telegram was sent, a California official telephoned a high government official to express concern over U.S. relations abroad if Chessman went to the gas chamber.

The state official was California's Deputy Attorney General, Mr. Richard P. Roran. He told Mr. George V. Allen, Director of the U.S. Information Agency, that hundreds of telegrams, letters and petitions had been received from abroad, urging clemency for Chessman.

Mr. Roran said the execution might cause demonstrations against the President during his South American trip, which begins tomorrow.

There is more controversy here over the Governor's move to have a debate centered round Chessman, which has drawn opposition even from politicians opposed to capital punishment.

REVERSE OPINION

Assemblyman Don Allen, of Los Angeles, told reporters at the weekend that the fourth time he voted against capital punishment, but "I'll reverse myself now and vote in favour of retaining it." Assemblyman Bruce Reagen, described as a conservative republican, said he was seriously considering presenting a bill to impeach Governor Brown, whose action showed he was "not qualified to be chief executive of California...his sympathy seems to be with the criminal and not with the victim."

Mr. George Davis, Chessman's chief lawyer, said he would be glad to defend Governor Brown against any impeachment charges.

Mr. Davis also claimed as the weekend that the fourth time he voted 4 to 3 against recommending mercy for Chessman, was ready to change his vote.

This would mean the way for Governor Brown to commute Chessman's sentence and take the case out of the controversy over abolition of the death penalty in the state.—*Reuter*.

Attempt to reach injured climber

Nairobi, Feb. 21.

An R.A.F. climbing team from Cyprus today joined forces with a rescue party leaving the village of Naru Moru on the slopes of Mount Kenya in a bid to reach an injured man lying on a rocky ledge after a climbing accident yesterday in which a second man was killed.

The injured man, Noel Levy of Nairobi, was reported to have sustained a broken leg. He was among a group of members of the Mountain Club of Kenya scaling Neilon, one of the twin peaks of 17,033-foot Mount Kenya.

Another member of the party, identified as Sigmund Simonsen of the Australian Consulate in Nairobi, was killed when he fell 400 feet during the descent.

WALKIE-TALKIES

Equipped with walkie-talkie radios, the rescue team hoped to join other mountaineers who reached the injured man earlier today. The R.A.F. group had themselves been planning to climb Mount Kenya, the second highest mountain in Africa.

A Royal Air Force ambulance plane, planning to fly out to the scene from Nairobi, remained grounded when it was discovered that the Naru Moru airstrip would be too short to take it.

First news of the accident emerged when a member of the group traded into Naru Moru police station after an all-night walk down the mountain.—*Reuter*.

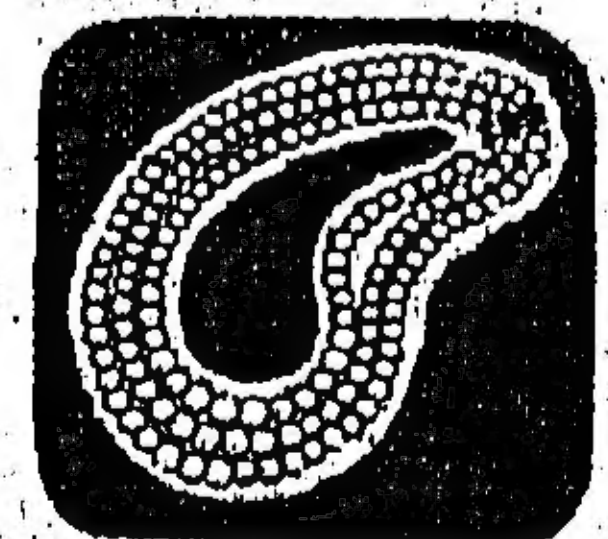
In demand

Tokyo, Feb. 22. Stationery store proprietors said today that rulers marked out in inches had tripled in price since the government banned the production of rulers not using the metric system. They expected the price would continue to increase at a rate of 10 per cent per month.—*UPI*.

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HEART STOPPED BEATING

Capetown, Feb. 21.
A Comet aircraft of RAF Transport Command will this week make a round trip of 15,000 miles to take home a seriously ill British seaman whose heart stopped beating at one stage of hospital treatment here.

Farmers up in arms

London, Feb. 21.
Proposals to submerge thousands of acres of farmland in the Towy Valley in West Wales, to provide reservoirs, were criticised by the Welsh Committee of the National Farmers Union at a meeting in London.

Delegates from all the Welsh counties were unanimous in supporting a protest from Carmarthenshire members, who said that farmers throughout Wales had been greatly shocked by the disclosures made by the South-West Wales River Board.

The Committee took the view that while the NFU were not opposed to properly controlled industrial development, the demands now made upon farmland, including some of the best and most productive, were "beyond all reason."

QUITE CLEAR

A spokesman of the NFU said, "It is quite clear that the great value of this dairyland county has not been appreciated by those who are now putting forward these fantastic claims."

An emergency committee is being set up by the Welsh Secretary of the NFU Mr. Ewerly Merchant, to make an immediate investigation.

The NFU Parliamentary Committee have asked for full details of the proposals, and an early interview with the Government will be sought.

The support of Welsh MP's will be invited.—China Mail Special.

43 ships burnt

Djakarta, Feb. 21.
Antara News Agency said today authorities at Tarakan, East Borneo had recently burnt 43 smuggling vessels, ranging in size from 10 to 80 tons.

A small ceremony marked the occasion.
The Indonesian Government claims the ships were taken while illegally running tropical produce out of the republic.—Reuters.



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Exorcism service to rid house of mysterious bumps

London, Feb. 21.
A service of exorcism is to be held in a house at Salford to rid a family of mysterious bumps in the night that have "haunted" their house for two months.
The noises, which began on Christmas Eve, start an hour before midnight, Mrs. Olive Hill, 38, told reporters.
"They have hardly missed a night and we just did not know what to do," she added.
The Rector of a nearby church, the Rev. Edmund

Diamond, said that he had agreed to hold a service of exorcism.
"Whatever it is, it will stop after the service," he said.
"I was sceptical when I was first told but I have heard the noise myself on two nights. I am certain it is not a practical joker and that it is something supernatural."
Water Board and gas inspectors, Town Hall officials, and police have all examined the house without finding anything.—China Mail Special.

Children and mother drowned

Driffield, Yorkshire, Feb. 21.
A coroner yesterday returned a verdict of accidental death by misadventure in the case of two children and their mother who were drowned in a farm pond covered with thin ice.

The two children, four-year-old Ian Pickard and his seven-year-old sister, Joyce, were playing around the pond with their six-year-old sister, Allison, against strict family orders when Ian fell through the ice into the pond.

Joyce waded in after him and sent Allison to fetch their mother, Mrs. Ruth Pickard, a 32-year-old farm wife.

Mrs. Pickard came at once but was drowned along with Joyce after they waded into the pond in an attempt to save Ian.

Warned

Mr. Ronald Desmond Pickard, the 37-year-old father, told the inquest, "The little boy used to wade in the pond during the summer and we warned him. The girls were warned as recently as last Monday because they had been seen coming over the fields from school."

A farm tractor driver who tried to rescue the mother and her children said, "We could not reach the hole in the pond because the ice was giving way. I threw out a rope but it was not long enough. I then ran to the farm to get a ladder and rushed back on the tractor. When I threw out the ladder it went through the ice."—China Mail Special.

Bevan satisfactory

Chesham, Feb. 21.
A week after his release from hospital, the deputy Labour Party leader Mr. Aneurin Bevan was today still confined to bed at his country farmhouse.

Official bulletins on the 62-year-old Mr. Bevan have been discontinued, but friends indicated he is making "satisfactory progress."

Mr. Bevan was weakened by an abdominal operation performed on December 28.—AP.

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Necklace sold for £27,000

London, Feb. 21.
A diamond necklace of the George III period (1760-1820) consisting of over 100 stones was sold here for £27,000.

It was owned by the Earl of Shrewsbury and went to a London dealer within 90 seconds.

Altogether, jewellery sold yesterday at Sotheby's auction raised £55,481 in little over an hour.—China Mail Special.

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LADY LUCK

your
CHINA MAIL
horoscope

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

AQUARIUS (January 21-February 19): You will be able to avert a domestic storm which is threatening with calm and logical reasoning.

PISCES (February 20-March 20): You will benefit from a mistake you made in the past by knowing how to handle a similar situation in which you now find yourself.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): Your optimism about a new appointment will be fully justified.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): A close association with a person born in the first half of September will bring you happiness and material success.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21): In consenting to do a certain job which is not quite in your line, make sure beforehand that you will receive proper compensation for your work.

CANCER (June 22-July 21): A misunderstanding may have kept you temporarily away from a friend. Get together as soon as you can and laugh the matter off.

LEO (July 22-August 21): Approach the forthcoming

interview full of confidence, assert your personality, and don't let unexpected questions throw you off balance.

VIRGO (August 22-September 22): In your daily dealings avoid being too fussy. It irritates others and distracts your attention from more important issues.

LIBRA (September 23-October 23): Having started on a well thought out scheme, stick to it. Don't get bored too easily, and don't try to switch to something else too soon.

SCORPIO (October 24-November 21): Let the mind rather than the heart be your guide in making an important decision about the future of a younger person.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21): Be businesslike when sealing an agreement with an associate, and don't be influenced by sentimentality to relinquish your just share of the bargain.

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 20): If you are under the impression that a good friend is withholding something about her health from you, force the issue by paying her an unexpected visit.

YOUR BIRTHDAY: If your birthday is this week, you will find a symbol of good fortune in a gift of a picture.

JACOBY
on BRIDGE

BARBARA Kachmar of New York did not know she was vulnerable. Hence her rather rash two-heart bid. When the bidding got back to East he took his arm off the score and remarked, "Do you know you are vulnerable?"

Barbara's reply was, "I'm not vulnerable." Whereupon East yelled, "Double!"

East's tactics are not to be commended but his defence was poor enough to let Barbara make the hand.

He won the opening spade lead with the ten and selected the six of diamonds as his return. Barbara played the eight and West's king lost to dummy's

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| ♥ 10 3 | | | |
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| ♥ A Q 8 | | | |
| ♦ K 7 3 | | | |
| ♣ A J 8 | | | |
| EAST | | | |
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| ♥ 10 6 2 | | | |
| ♦ J 8 6 | | | |
| ♣ 10 6 2 | | | |
| SOUTH | | | |
| ♠ 7 2 | | | |
| ♥ K J 7 5 4 | | | |
| ♦ Q 10 8 2 | | | |
| ♣ K 9 | | | |
| North and South vulnerable | | | |
| West North East South | | | |
| 1NT Pass Pass 2♥ | | | |
| Pass Pass Double Pass | | | |
| Pass Pass | | | |
| Opening lead—4♠ | | | |

ace. Now Barbara cashed the ten and queen of diamonds and led a second spade. East was in with the ace and had a perfectly logical spade return but chose the deuce of hearts instead.

Barbara let this ride toward dummy's nine and West had to win the trick with the queen. Now there was no way for the defence to cash more than one club and the ace of trumps and Barbara had made game and rubber.

Furthermore, she had the last word. Turning to East she remarked, "Now I remember. We were vulnerable all the time."

CARD SENSE

Q—The bidding has been:
South West North East
1♠ Pass 1♥ Pass
2♠ Pass 3♥ Pass
4♠ Pass 4NT Pass
5♠ Pass 5NT Pass
6♥ Pass 6NT Pass

You, South, hold:
♠ A K 4 3 2 ♠ A 3 2 ♠ K Q J 10 6 5
What do you do?
A—Bid seven no-trump. Your partner has shown that your side has all four aces and he has gone to six no-trump without knowing that you have six clubs. Seven no-trump should be a spread.

TODAY'S QUESTION
You open one club holding:
♠ Q 3 2 ♥ 5 4 ♠ A 1 7 ♠ K 7 4 3
Your partner responds one spade. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

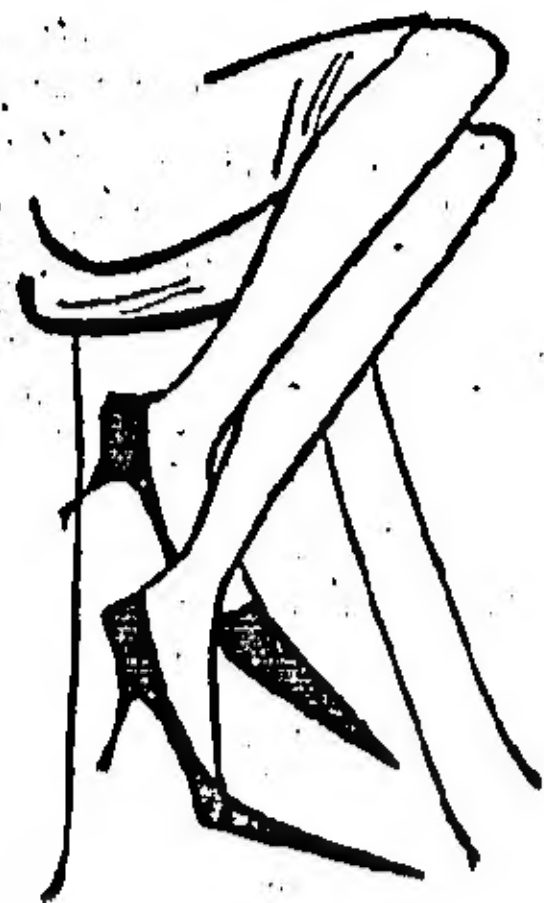
WOMANSENSE

OH, WHAT BIG FEET

YOU HAVE!

The latest teenage craze:
shoes with six-inch toes

★ 1960 ration of black: silk jersey top, black suede gloves, black spiky shoes, all offsetting the frosty white of a straight linen skirt. The jersey top is made by Doville, with fringed sleeves and hem; can be worn inside or outside a skirt.



THE most relentless fashion-craze since black stockings has been quietly gathering momentum in the teenage world: the craze for what a friend of mine calls "Rumpelstiltskin shoes": high-heeled shoes whose pointed toes sprout a fantastic extra three or four inches.

Where or how or why this extraordinary phenomenon first arose, minute research has failed to reveal to me; for the moment, however, it seems here to stay.

Keep your eyes glued to the pavement in Oxford Street at any weekday lunchtime: you'll see hundreds, spare toe-length flapping in the breeze, their teenage wearers happily conscious of being absolutely a la mode. "I wear them because everyone else wears them," one teenager told me solemnly.

The Dior of this fashion world is apparently a small shop in Islington where they are made to measure; specify extra toe length required.

Others come from a Wardour Street shop which does a brisk business, almost entirely with teenagers, who spend £8 and £7 a time, for toes as long as six inches from the vamp. Batsford and Camden Town are other strongholds. But the high-fashion shoe stores (conspicuously the teenage word for them) do not stock them.

FASHION NEWS FOCUS . . . by BARBARA GRIGGS

Penalty for being in the swim is, first, a certain difficulty about dashing upstairs briskly: their wearers are obliged to progress crabwise. Second, a tendency to fall over their own toes when living. Any woman, however, will agree that these are small sacrifices to make in the cause of fashion.

Resting

AS far as top couturiers are concerned—Florence, Rome, London, Paris—the all-black look, with very few exceptions, is being given a well-earned rest this spring.

Instead, black is being used in a new imaginative way as a secondary or accessory colour; and the colour it is used with, most of the time, is white. Black silk is used for the top

of a long evening dress with a black and white striped skirt, black shantung for the blouse-top of a white wool suit; they black pillbox hat and gloves with a white cocktail dress. And to stress the secondary role of black in skirt-and-top partnership, it is the skirt that is white and the top black, instead of the other way round.

The girl in the picture shows one way of doing it: black silk jersey teamed with white linen. Summer will produce a rash of variations, billowing white broderie anglaise skirt and black linen suntop; full-length white lace with a swathed black chiffon top; a black face top with crisp white organdie skirt; the penumbras are endless.

Fresher than solid black; less hackneyed than little-girl all-white, the checkerboard contrast of this black-and-white look is,



PICTURE BY JOHN GOLL

Worthwhile

IN terms of cash profit, the balance sheet is likely to be unfavourable—so much money flowed away in travel expenses, hotel bills, transporting and feeding the models, cars, champagne and flowers. In non-tangible terms, however, all the couturiers involved feel that the trip was well worth while.

American buyers were impressed not merely by the smooth chic of London tailoring; they were astounded both by the courage of the London couturiers—and their eagerness in

bothering to come all the way to Paris to see them.

And although most American buyers had spent most of their allowances—and were saving the rest for Balenciaga and Givenchy, several cabled back to their stores for more.

"We did it," said John Cavanagh, "to let them know we still exist and get them coming over here again. A lot of them had stopped coming altogether."

The American press was encouraging. Eugenia Shepard, most critical and influential pen in American fashion reporting, wrote: "Their natural, unaffected adult clothes have never looked like such a valuable balance to the kiddy-type clothes so many people are designing."

Spurred on by this success the Incorporated Society is already making plans for next season; when American buyers will almost certainly be invited to

London for two days of crack British hospitality. That brown lipstick will be one of the distinguishing marks of the Beat girls this summer—and of many, many others.

But the American giants who launch it have widely differing views about its saleability.

A word!

REVLON, already in the shops with their Toffee Sherbet report it a wow, and are following it up swiftly with a lighter version called Mocha Folsa.

Max Factor have produced a dazzling range of six brownish shades, but are not releasing it in England.

And Helma Rubenstein, who have brought out two new delicious pinky brownish shades have no plans at all for marketing them in this country; all right, they feel, for the fallow French face, but not so good for an English rose. I can't say I find myself in violent disagreement. (London Express Service).

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To prevent evaporation, add flavouring to boiled custards, frosting and sweets when they are cooked.

To give plum pudding or fruit-cake a flaming touch, top each serving with a sugar cube dipped in lemon extract. Light the sugar cube and serve.

Store fresh poultry loosely in aluminium foil, parchment or waxed paper and refrigerate immediately. Use within two

or three days. If cream won't whip, chill it thoroughly, then add a chilled egg white and whip again.

Hang electric cords over thick round wooden pegs so the insulation will not be chafed or the wire kinked.

A fresh pineapple should be clean, heavy, free from bruises, and square shouldered. It also should have a fragrant smell.

Dora and briar to meet the Bishop



★ **DORA PREFERS A BRIAR.** The Bishop of Oxford has yet to meet one of the girl undergraduates who is to star in a religious film he is making. When he does he may get a surprise. For 20-year-old Dora Dicum, daughter of a Malayan doctor, delights in lighting up a long-stemmed churchwarden pipe—or alternatively, a curved, Sherlock Holmes type briar. But though she enjoys puffing away in her rooms at Lady Margaret Hall, where she is studying modern languages, she doesn't smoke in the street. "I did once," she admitted, "but never again. It was too embarrassing. But really, it is so much healthier than cigarettes."

CHILDREN'S CORNER

A Magnificent Picnic

—Mr. Merlin Knows A Place Where It Never Rains—

By MAX TRELL

MR MERLIN, the Magnificent Magician, had told everyone to be ready at half-past nine.

"We're all going on a picnic," he had said. "Suppose it rains?" Knarl, the Shadow Boy with the Turned-About Name, had asked him.

"We'll go anyway," Mr Merlin had replied. Then he had added:

"The place I'm taking you to will be sunny no matter how hard it's raining here." Then Knarl, the Shadow Girl, and Mary-Jane the Rag Doll, and Miss Gloria, the China Doll, and Judy, who was Mr Punch's wife, all asked Mr Merlin if they shouldn't prepare a picnic basket.

"No," he said. "I'll bring it." So at nine-thirty the next morning everyone was ready. They were all waiting under the geranium plant that stood on the floor by the window in a red clay pot.

Appeared suddenly Then, just as the clock struck the half hour, Mr Merlin, the Magnificent Magician, as he liked to be called, suddenly appeared right out of the air. "Good morning, good morning, good morning! I wish you all a hearty good morning!" Mr Merlin said, turning around on one foot like a dancer and smiling at all his friends.

"Come now, cheer up!" he said the next moment, when he noticed that everyone seemed to be looking gloomy. "We're going on a picnic, you know. You can't be grumpy when you're on a picnic!"

"But Mr Merlin," said Teddy, the Stuffed Bear, who had put on his raincoat and a pair of rubber boots, "just look outside!"

He smiled Mr Merlin smiled as he took a quick glance out of the window. "Why, I declare, it's raining! But I said we were going rain or shine. Don't worry, Teddy, and all the rest of you, we're not going to get wet. We're going to a sunshiny place."

Then Knarl uttered a squeal of dismay. "Mr Merlin, you forgot all about bringing the picnic lunch basket!"

Everyone groaned. For how could you go on a picnic without bringing along a basket? How could you go on a picnic with nothing to eat?

Didn't forget "Now—now—don't fret," said Mr Merlin, still smiling. "I haven't forgotten the lunch basket. Here it is." And Mr Merlin reached in his coat pocket and took out a very small picnic basket.

"There'll be plenty to eat for all of us!" he said.

Again everyone groaned but they all started out. Instead of opening the door and going outside, Mr Merlin walked straight across the room.

"Come along, come along," he kept saying.

Delightful place Then he walked straight through the wall, and everybody followed him.

And what a delightful place they found on the other side of the wall! The sun was shining like a million golden lamps. The clouds bounced across the sky like pillows with wings. They came to a field filled with flowers. The daisies nodded. The buttercups bowed. The violets and pansies curtsied and moved out of the way.

A wonderful thing was happening to Mr Merlin's picnic basket. It was growing larger and larger with every step he took. He filled it with sandwiches from the sandwich trees (eggs, peanut butter, strawberry jam and chicken), and



Mr. Merlin held a little picnic basket in his hand.

with fruit from the fruit trees (apple, pear, peach and plum) and with dessert from the dessert trees (ice cream, chocolate bars and lollypops), so that by the time they reached the top of the hill where the picnic was, the basket was filled almost to bursting.

Had wonderful time

And what a wonderful time everyone had on Mr Merlin's magnificent picnic! They slipped slippery olms, and swam in sunbeams, and made a fire of fireflies, and sat in a tree and sang with the birds! And when, late that afternoon, they came home again they found it was still raining. "Thank you, Mr Merlin!" said everybody. "Thank you for a magnificent picnic!" "You're welcome, I'm sure!" replied Mr Merlin. And he spun on one leg like a top and vanished.

Rupert and the Windies—9



In his astonishment at the sight of the weird stranger Rupert can hardly answer. "Please, I don't understand." He says shakily. "Who are you? What are you talking about?" "The! You're as dumb as the other one!" squeals the flying object. "Don't waste time. I tell you it went right through our home—twice! It came from here and you're the only people in sight. You must know about it and you've got to stop it. The creatures get more and more excited, flapping and fluttering around. ALL RIGHTS RESERVED

Tung Wah . . . 5, Sing Tao . . . 0 TUNG WAH IN SHIELD FINAL

Winners knew too much for the young 'Tigers'

By I. M. MacTAVISH

The Boundary Street football ground has played a major part in Colony soccer affairs this season. The fans have flocked to the arena in numbers that could never have been equalled for similar games on the other side of the harbour and yesterday the Hongkong Police Sports Association made a nice 'thank you' gesture by arranging for the visiting band of the United States Marines to entertain the capacity crowd which turned out to see the Senior Shield semi-final tie between Tung Wah and Sing Tao.

It was almost the only generous gesture during an afternoon which saw Tung Wah move into the final of the competition by five goals to nil after a game which was at times too heavily punctuated with rough play . . . bitterness . . . and individual vendettas.

In many ways it was a strange game full of contradictions: a perfect football paradox; yet hardly measuring up to the expectations of an encounter of such importance. During the first 20 minutes Sing Tao dominated play almost completely but at the end of that time they were two goals down. The Tigers had plenty of frills, lots of constructive leads, speed and ball control but when it came to the vital task of getting the ball into the net they ran up against all the sicknesses of the goal-guarding gremmlins.

Colony Open and HKCC tennis programme

The following matches in the Colony Open and Hongkong Cricket Club grass-court tennis championships are scheduled for this week:

TODAY
Colony Open
Court 1 — Last, set K. W. Cheng & V. T. Wong v. P. Wong & L. Klein.
Court 2 — Finish of M. Lo & F. Ma v. J. T. Whitsett & M. J. Spink.
Court 3 — B. S. Lee & H. K. Hui v. K. C. Dao & A. Sato.

HKCC Championships
Court 4 — R. D. Hooton v. R. J. Maguire.
Court 5 — H. Luberseder v. R. Roell.
Court 6 — R. J. Schneemann v. C. R. V. Wallace.
Court 7 — C. J. Small v. D. L. Baker.
Court 8 — E. Sabouille v. A. A. Bushie-Curyesford.

TOMORROW
Colony Open
Centre Court — W. P. Tsui & Y. P. Tsui v. W. S. Lee & H. K. Hui or K. C. Dao & A. Sato.

Court 1 — S. Smolin & K. B. Dije v. W. K. W. Cheng & V. T. Wong or P. Wong & L. Klein.
HKCC Championships
Court 2 — C. J. Small v. F. P. L. Margetts.
Court 3 — M. J. Spink v. H. Egenberger.

Court 4 — C. Soetens v. P. S. Troedel.
Court 5 — H. Luberseder v. R. J. Maguire.

Court 6 — J. T. Whitsett & Mrs. Reynolds v. Mr and Mrs. R. J. Schneemann.

WEDNESDAY
Colony Open
Centre Court — Bottom doubles semi-final.

HKCC Championships
Court 1 — P. S. Troedel & E. Sabouille v. A. Fitch & H. Egenberger.

Court 2 — F. P. L. Margetts & S. R. V. Wallace v. R. J. Schneemann & P. Popple.
Court 3 — C. Soetens & G. L. Lowman v. J. T. Whitsett & M. J. Spink.

THURSDAY
HKCC Championships
Court 1 — G. A. Pritchard & A. A. Malden v. H. R. W. Latham & C. J. Small.
Court 2 — R. J. Maguire & Miss A. Dickson Leach v. Mr & Mrs H. Rawlings.
Court 3 — Mr & Mrs Bacon v. M. J. Spink & Miss J. E. Hall.

Raisuddaula wins Indian St Leger

Bombay, Feb. 21. A chance Raisuddaula won the Indian St Leger, over one mile six furlongs here today.

Raisuddaula, by Hyderabad out of Merrybargo, was ridden by Pandu Khado and won comfortably by two and three-quarter lengths from Ghazi, with Erin Way half a length further away, third.

Rose De Bahama, winner of the Indian Oaks on January 24, was unplaced among the eight runners. Rose De Bahama was joint favourite with Pride of Andhra, who finished fourth.—Reuter.

most completely but at the end of that time they were two goals down. The Tigers had plenty of frills, lots of constructive leads, speed and ball control but when it came to the vital task of getting the ball into the net they ran up against all the sicknesses of the goal-guarding gremmlins.

The difference

The difference between the sides lay in the extra bit of experience which Tung Wah possessed but it was disappointing to see a semi-final tie so badly marred by so much rough and dangerous play.

Strangely enough it was all started by a tackle which Yiu Cheuk-yin made on Sing Tao's right-back. It triggered off a series of attacks and counter-attacks on various players and in the heat of the feud Yiu Cheuk-yin got a nasty retaliation track on the back.

The boot-swinging epidemic spread and soon Cheung Man-chi and Cheung Chi-doy were in trouble but they were not the only ones and several of the players were lucky to escape marching orders or cautions. Although late in the second half when tempers and temperatures had apparently dropped a bit, Tsang Kung-kong was in fact booked.

A firmer hand might have saved this game from the general deterioration which was a logical sequel to too many of the players paying more attention to their opponents than to the ball. Fortunately things improved somewhat once Tung Wah had established a clear lead but the damage had been done and thousands of the 8,500 fans had left the ground in disappointment long before the finish.

The stars

Tung Wah thoroughly deserved their victory if only because they showed they knew the road to goal. They were always dangerous in attack and their sharp direct thrusts were in contrast to the speculative—although generally more attractive—approach work of the young Tigers.

Yiu Cheuk-yin had a very ordinary day and rather belied his glittering reputation. The men who gave the snap to the Tung Wah front rank were Lo Kwok-tai and Cheung Chi-doy, who shared four goals, and Au Fung-tai whose speed was always a great asset.

The winners' defensive honours were shared by Toledo and Chan Fai-hung but Wong Chi-kong had a most uncomfortable afternoon trying to keep a check on Lau Moon-ching, Sing Tao's flying winger.

The Tigers were unlucky to have to go into this important game without goalkeeper Yiu Yu-tak but his young deputy pulled off some fine saves.

The youthful Sing Tao side never quite hit its best form but, if it had received the encouragement of an early goal when they threatened to overrun the opposition, it might have been a very different story.

2 goals in 2 raids

Both full-backs, pivot Fung Ki-wan, Cheung Chi-doy, Chow Kit, and Lee Tak-tung were the top men in the Tigers' team. All the side lacked was a bit of experience and a bit of luck . . . and they might have produced a little less of the "beef" tactics which one or two of the players exploited.

Play started almost 25 minutes late and from the first move it was Sing Tao who took up the running. They attacked and struck but they could not score . . . and just when they stopped for air Tung Wah swept to the other end. They carried the ball down the right, turned it into the middle, and in a flash Cheung Chi-doy had it in the back of the net.

The Tigers were too immature to spot the significance of the goal. They maintained their all-up attacks . . . and in six minutes they LOST another goal.

Again it was a concerted effort from the Tung Wah forwards that paid the dividend. The ball moved right across the front line before Lo Kwok-tai pushed it neatly goalwards between several defenders to make it 2-0. Two goals in two raids. It was real hit and run stuff.

Sing Tao closed their ranks a bit after the second reverse and the interval saw the score unchanged.

The second half was only four minutes old when Tung Wah put an end to any hopes the Tigers may have had of saving the game.

A bit of slack defensive play saw Tung Wah getting an indirect free-kick close to the goal. Sing Tao goal. Yiu Cheuk-yin did the preparation act to such good purpose that he fooled the closely packed defenders and Lo Kwok-tai had a simple task to drive the ball into the goal.

"Old-heads" goal

In spite of the mounting score Sing Tao continued to have just as much of the play as their opponents but in the 63rd minute they found themselves still further behind. Lo Kwok-tai did all the early running, then Cheung Chi-doy took over and emphasised how much he has improved by trailing the ball to the right before snatching a good right-foot drive into the net.

Nine minutes later Tung Wah completed the scoring with a typical "old-heads" goal. They got a free-kick just outside the penalty area. Lo Kwok-tai had the ball to the right and before they could co-ordinate their covering plans Chan Fai-hung made the most of the situation by placing the ball wide of the goalkeeper's right hand . . . and so Tung Wah went nap. With different smiles of fortune early on, it might have been a much closer result.

VERDICT: A disappointing game with victory going to the better exponent of knock-out football. Tung Wah took their chances . . . Sing Tao didn't. But the young Tigers should not let this defeat worry them too much. They played some first class football in mid-field and they were very unlucky not to score on several occasions. With a little more experience they will not lose the kind of goals they did in this game.

The teams

SING TAO: Kwong Kwok-lap, Lee Lul-kong, Luk Ping-yiu, Cheung Man-chi, Fung Ki-wan, Cheung Chi-man, Lau Moon-ching, Chow Kit, Fung Ki-leung, Tsang Kung-kong, Lee Tak-tung.

TUNG WAH: Kwok Chau-ming, Toledo, Wong Chi-kong, Chan Fai-hung, Ng Wai-man, Lai Gin-iau, Au Fung-lin, Lo Kwok-tai, Cheung Chi-doy, Yiu Cheuk-yin, Kong Yin-ying.

Olympic ice hockey

Squaw Valley, Feb. 22. Germany, led by Kurt Sepp, defeated Finland 4-1 yesterday and earned a place in the six-team Olympic hockey tournament.

The other five finalists are Russia, the defending champions, Canada, Sweden, the United States, and Czechoslovakia.—AP.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

HKFA Chairman

Sir,—With regard to reports of HKFA Council's "secret" (closed-door) meeting that Mr C. S. Wang has been unduly criticised for his volunteering service to assist the visiting Peruvian Soccer Team and arranged local teams to play against them, all these arguments were rather untimely and meaningless.

Considering the fact that FA has netted profit of more than \$300,000 and much benefit has earned and valuable lessons learned by local soccer circle, why should the Power-to-be still complain?

There is no doubt that Mr C. S. Wang is hot-headed at times, yet his good service for social welfare and promoting soccer interest were well-merited and praiseworthy. HK needs such a personality to do whatever is GOOD for the public.

As a loyal supporter of HK and Kowloon football (including miniature soccer) I always hold sincere respect for Mr Chairman of HKFA and the co-operation of other members, one and all, for the past and the many many years to come.

Bravo, Mr C. S. Wang, don't get mad about such trifles and do continue your unselfish service for HK and China.

LAI KUNG-WUN.

MacTavish replies

Sir,—My attention has been drawn to the letter from Mr I. Petrie which appeared in the China Mail on Saturday.

In many years of writing I have long ago learned that it is unwise to take anything for granted and I would like to assure Mr Petrie that immediately after the fourth game in the series against the Peruvians I received permission to go to the Hongkong dressing room where, along with one of the councillors of the HKFA, I talked to Toledo about his injury and in fact I had a look at the limb which had caused him so much pain.

I. M. MacTAVISH.

Savitt, Mackay in U.S. indoor tennis final

New York, Feb. 21. Dick Savitt, 32, former Wimbledon champion, and Barry Mackay, 24, reached the men's singles final of the U.S. National Indoor Tennis Championships here today.

Mackay was taken to five sets by Earl Buchholz before winning 7-5, 5-7, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4. Savitt, twice winner of the title and runner-up last year, beat Charles McKinley 6-4, 3-6, 6-3, 8-6.

Buchholz and McKinley are both 19.—Reuter.

Argentinian wins world's toughest swimming event

Mar Del Plata, Feb. 21. Nineteen-year-old Syder Guiscardo of Mar Del Plata, Argentina, today won the gruelling 28-mile International Marathon swimming event here.

He stumbled ashore after beating a starting field of 17 expert swimmers. Scarcely half of the field finished. Argentina's leading swimmer, Alfredo Camarero, was second, and Grete Andersen, who was born in Denmark and is now a U.S. citizen, placed third.

The winner was unofficially clocked at 18 hours and 17 minutes for the 28-mile distance. The marathon race has been described as the world's toughest.—AP.

Nominate YOUR HONGKONG FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR

Members of the public are invited to nominate Hongkong's Footballer of the Year for the current season.

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Mail, and nomination coupons will be accepted until the closing date to be announced later.

The two qualifications for nomination are:

- (1) Footballing prowess.
- (2) Sportsmanship on the field of play.

Nominations should be addressed to the Editor, China Mail, Wyndham Street.

To the Editor, China Mail.

My nomination for Hongkong's Footballer of the Year, taking into account his playing ability and his sportsmanship on the field of play, is:

of the . . . Club.

(Signed) . . .

(NOTE: No person is allowed to vote more than once in this poll)

Soviet student first to break world record at Winter Olympics

Squaw Valley, Feb. 21. Lidia Skoblikova, 20-year-old Soviet student from Cheljabinsk, in the Urals, today became the first competitor to break a world record in the 1960 Winter Olympic Games.

The blonde Russian girl sped round the track in the women's 1,500 metres Speed-skating championship in 2 mins 25.2 secs—three-tenths of a second faster than any woman had previously achieved.

Her time beat the world mark set seven years ago by her compatriot Khalida Schegoleva.

Second in the field of 23 competitors from ten nations was the Polish girl Elwira Sroczyńska, with 2 mins 24.7 secs, and third another Polish competitor, Helena Pileczky, with 2 mins 27.1 secs.

Swedish and Swiss skiers won other gold medals today. Klas Lestander, 28-year-old builder from Arjeplog, in the northernmost part of Sweden, won the first Biatlon contest to be held in the Olympic Games—an event which was expected to yield the Soviet Union a clean sweep.

Lestander "came out of the blue" to beat the Soviet Union quartet, reckoned previously the greatest Biatlon experts in the world, in this gruelling combination of cross-country skiing and shooting.

Giant slalom

The blond Swede drove and shot his way through the 20-kilometre test at McKinley Creek, near here, in the unofficial time of one hour 33 mins, 21.6 secs. He had a perfect score for the four-target ranges.

Arvid Tyrvainen, of Finland, was second and Alexander Privarov, of the Soviet Union, third. Behind were the four Russians — world champion Vladimir Malanin (fourth), Vladimir Potanin (fifth) and . . .

Medal standings

Medal standing after the three events on the fourth day of the eighth Olympic Winter Games here were:

WEEKEND SOFTBALL

PANDAS ASSURED OF JUNIOR LEAGUE RUNNERS-UP BERTH

By OLLY VAS

The Pandas assured themselves of the runners-up position in the Junior softball league when they beat the Indians 19-10 on Saturday.

Yesterday, the Indians lost again, this time by 8-9 to the Cheyennes, and the Cardinals triumphed 9-7 over the Giants.

No Senior games were played off as both SCAA and the Pandas gave walkovers to the U.S. Navy and the Cheyennes respectively. In the latter instance Bye-Law 14, which says "Any team unable to field a full team 15 minutes after the Umpire has given notice shall forfeit the game to the opposing team" was applied but plate umpire Bill Silva failed to give any notice to the Pandas.

The Indians had a chance to open the scoring in their Junior match against the Pandas after Jonny Chaves had flied out to right-field for the initial out of the inning. Robert Olas was issued with a base on balls and stole second but Memo Baptista popped up and Souza did likewise to leave Olas stranded on base.

The Pandas then went to bat and in a matter of minutes were up six runs as a result of four fielding errors coupled with three hits, to lead 6-0.

Comfortable lead
Oliveira, Viera and Bosoza were retired in order in the top of the second to leave the Indians still without a run and in this same inning the Pandas increased their lead to eight runs.

Ng got on via an infield error, stole second and then came home on Lam's single. Alan Owen then got tossed out at first and Lam showing a nice turn of speed made it safely to third on the play. Wu was caught in a bit of interpassing in the Indian infield for the second out of the inning and Cyril Law popped up to close the frame with the Chinese team comfortably ahead as Lam had scored during the play on Wu earlier.

The Indians finally broke into the scoring column in the top of the third inning. Silva double-bunted and F. R. Souza got a walk as Panda pitcher Arthur Olas temporarily lost sight of the plate. Chaves flied to centre-field for the first out then Robert Olas came up with the big blow of the game, a triple to left-centre to drive in Souza with the Indians' first run of the game. Baptista was caught out to close the inning.

Still a chance
The Pandas were put out in order and the fourth inning opened with the score 8-1 in the winners' favour.

F. X. Souza hit safely and advanced to third on an error and Oliveira's hit, Rosa's grounder was badly picked up by Panda pitcher Arthur Olas who tossed it wild to first base and both Souza and Oliveira scored to lower the margin to 2-8.

Rosa then stole third but with only one out Silva could only manage a weak hit to Olas who, this time, made sure of the relay. Olas then struck out F. R. Souza to end the Indian inning.

The Indians still were in with a chance, being only five runs down at this stage but the bottom of the fourth spelled the end for them. Indian pitcher David Viera issued six free passes as 12 batters strode up to the plate. This, together with nine errors from his teammates, allowed the Pandas to tally eight times to lead 16-3 and any semblance to a softball match was by now merely coincidental.

NZ Prime Minister favours All Blacks' S. Africa tour

Wellington, Feb. 21. Mr Walter Nash, the New Zealand Prime Minister, said yesterday the "All Blacks" rugby side should go on a tour of South Africa this winter because their tour could help to solve one of the world's major problems — South Africa, which could "set the whole world on fire."

Mr Nash has hitherto kept a strict silence on the issue which has become one of the country's talking points. An anti-tour organisation has circulated a petition that the Government should step in and stop the tour, as the basis on which it is to be made is that it should be a completely European one to avoid a clash with South Africa's apartheid laws.

Mr Nash was speaking at a meeting of the Pan Pacific South-East Asia Women's Association. He said that relations between Maori and Europeans in New Zealand were better than between similar factions in any other country he had visited or had read about.—China Mail Special.

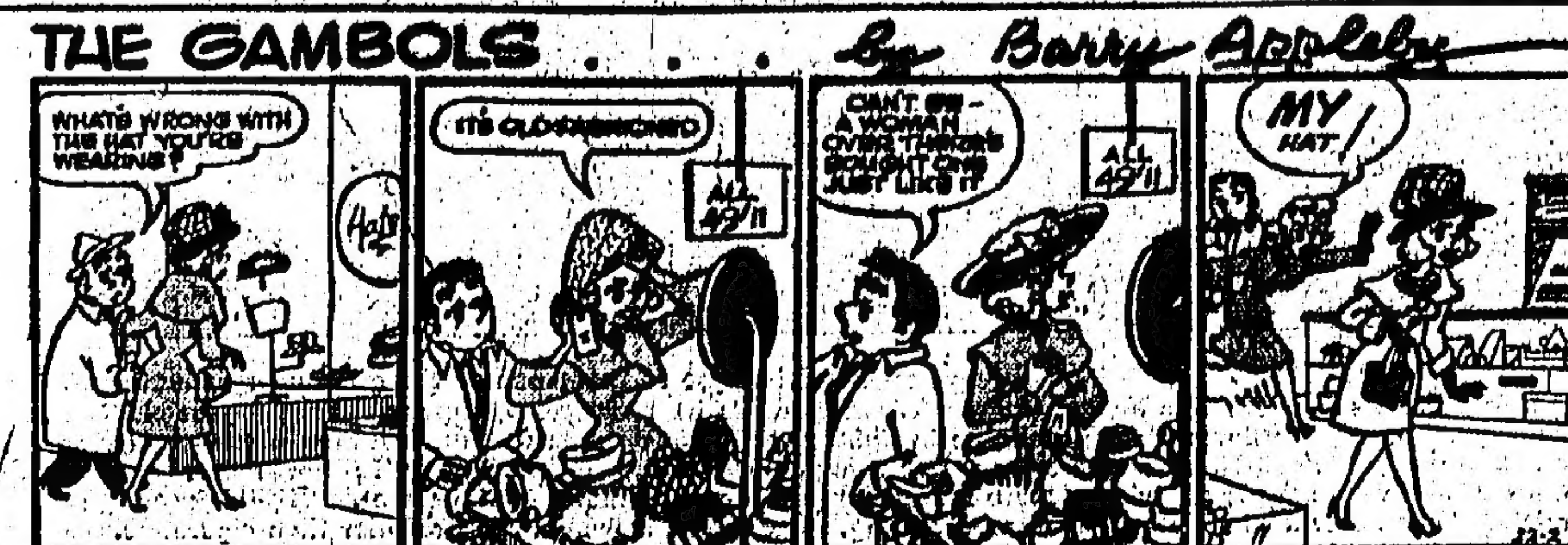
Worthy winners

The Indians settled down in the fifth and sixth innings to hold the opposition scoreless and to register seven runs to make it 16-10.

There was still some hope left in the hearts of the seventh but then David Viera lost complete control and tossed two wild pitches in the dirt to allow Ng and Lam to tally another two runs for the Pandas and when Wu scored to bring the total up to 19 it was all over bar the shouting.

Silva, F. R. Souza and then Chaves went down in order in the bottom of the last inning—leaving the final score at 19-10 with the Pandas worthy winners of a contest which never reached any great heights.

For the Pandas, Arthur Olas tossed a nice game, giving up only five hits. For the Indians, David Viera issued ten walks and seemed almost nonchalant about his pitching, which was not surprising, considering the 16 errors his team-mates came up with. Catcher Souza will want to forget all about this match. It just wasn't his day behind the plate.



Tamar make grand rugby debut with 8-0 win over Whitfield Wanderers

By PAK LO

The Tamar Rugby XV more than lived up to expectations in their first game this season when they comfortably beat the Whitfield Wanderers Plate XV by 8 points (one goal, one try) to nil on Saturday afternoon, and gave promise of becoming a really good XV after playing a few more games together.

Earlier in the afternoon, on the same ground, Police strolled through their game against the Sappers winning by 11 points (one goal, two tries) to 6 points (two tries) the disappointing match in which neither side shone to any great extent.

Over at Stanley, Club "A" had little trouble in disposing of the 1st Lancs by 8 points (one goal, one penalty goal) to 3 points (one penalty goal).

In the other matches, the Northumberland Fusiliers put paid to 40 Field by 21 points to 6 points.

RAF Little Sal Wan turned up with 10 men but after borrowing some players, including one from their opponents 32nd Medium, managed to make their total to fourteen. Even with this assistance the Alrmen went down to defeat by 33 points to 11 points.

Fixtures altered

Incidentally, as the Alrmen are unable to field a strong team at present, the fixtures for next Wednesday evening have now been altered to produce two more interesting games. At 6 p.m. Army "A" play the Rest "A", and at 7.15 p.m. the Army take on the Rest of the Colony.

News is also to hand that the Army Plate Competition Final will be held on March 2 and that this evening Wavering will have another run out against a Club Selection at 7 p.m. on the Club ground before they finally meet the Club full team in their annual match.

Tamar v. Whitfield Wanderers Plate XV

The Wanderers' team was by no means as weak as the name suggests, and the Navy certainly deserved their victory.

In fact it will be interesting to see how this team does against the Club Selection when they meet on March 9.

At present this is the only fixture Tamar have on their list, and as they want more practice they are willing to play one and all at any time. Details can be fixed through Commander Gamson, who will be delighted to deal with all enquiries.

The game itself was a spirited encounter from end to end with both sides tackling fiercely. Wanderers had a slight advantage in the lineouts, while Tamar were slightly superior in the scrums.

Different story

But behind the packs it was a very different story. Tamar were far, far better, and Wanderers paid only brief visits to the Tamar end of the pitch in the second half.

Knight had an excellent game at scrum-half for Tamar, producing some very nice breaks and some steady good passing.

The Tamar three, with Beck standing head and shoulders above the rest, were faster, and handled better than the Wanderers. These backs only need more practice together to become a real force in local rugby.

The Tamar pack in the loose was much faster and covered to a greater extent. Jones, their skipper, not only led the pack with a minimum of words but got a fine example of always being where he was most needed. Ryle did very well in the lineouts, while what attracted with the whole Navy pack, besides their keenness, was their obvious intention to handle the ball whenever they could. Not only did they try and usually succeed in getting their hands under their feet to the ball but they gave their three plenty of cover. Not that this was needed for Barnett was very sound and steady at full-back.

The Wanderers pack had Simpson shining in the loose, and Wiseman and Chitty put-

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SPORTING SAM

by Reg. Wootton



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evade a tackler stepped over the touchline. Tamar got the ball in the lineout and pushed their way over for Jones to touch down and score. No conversion, 8-0.

Police v. Sappers

The Police played the game with only 14 men and it could never be said that they looked really impressive, but did look better than the Sappers.

Police dominated the lineouts, where the Sappers were without Winn, and Kelli easily outthrust his opponent number. Order once again was the star of the match, and had his teammates worked as hard as he did they would have needed a calculating machine to work out the results.

The Sappers pack was very slow and made little or no attempt to jump. Cleary was badly off form, and the back division never looked happy in attack, their passing being very weak.

The Police passing, too, was not good, but they were slightly better than that of the Sappers, and Riach had a couple of good breaks in the centre while Lloyd played a very good game both in attack and defence.

A suggestion

Acheson was good at full-back, but once again the Police looked as if they were out for a stroll, and obviously had orders not to play too hard to avert injuries before their next big match on Saturday against Garrison.

Talking of that match and the other, and final Fentonsaur between Club and Brigade it is to be hoped that the IKRU will, as they have so scrupulously done before, see fit to switch the venue of one of these games, so that fans can watch the final battle for the Tournament honours on one pitch.

It is also to be hoped that if they do switch one game they make the second game the Club-Brigade match, thus ensuring that excitement will be maintained throughout both games, for if Garrison win, and are in the first game they will have won the Tournament title and the only interest will lie in whether it will be a three-way tie for second place.

Christie opened the scoring for the Sappers when he broke away from a loose maul and tore down the wing to score half way out. No conversion, 6-3.

A few minutes later inside his own half McNeven intercepted a pass and went all the way, well backed up by Lloyd throughout to score in the corner. No conversion, 3-3.

Wishy-washy pass

Just before half time Acheson put the ball nicely into touch inside the Sappers' 25. The Police won the ball, lost it, and the Sappers picked it up. However, Cullen, who had a good game on the wing, intercepted another wishy-washy pass and went through, and round, to score half way out. Lloyd converted, 6-3.

There was no further scoring until just before the end when Cullen dribbled his way upfield until the ball bounced into his hands and he tore through to score well out. No conversion, 11-3.

Finally Kirkland gathered a loose ball five yards from the Police line and scored well out. No conversion, 11-8.

Club "A" v. 1st Lancashire Regt

Club was another team with orders to take things easy, and did not really need to try, for though they lost the lineouts and were slightly poorer in the scrums their halves and backs were far too much for the Lancs.

The Lancs tried with everything they knew and were just

a little unlucky to score only 3 points, but they lacked penetration, largely because Garland, who was their best three on show would cut inside.

Davies again played a steady game at full-back, but his talents were wasted in this position.

For the Club, Wiggitt and Steven played well, with Steven once more doing his usual imitation of a tank which resulted in a score.

40-yard penalty

Wiggitt missed a penalty with a slick kick, but Scruby, rushing up, caught it, ran in and kicked ahead. Davies was caught in possession by Steven, heading up well. Picking up the ball Steven tore through and scored. Wiggitt converted, 5-0.

In the opening minutes of the second half Wiggitt converted a penalty from the 25 to make it 8-0, and a minute later Woodward produced his one good effort of the game when he smacked home a long 40-yard penalty to make the score 8-3.

The Club were well on top in the loose in this half, and though there was not much three-movement they did look better in attack.

The Club eased up just enough to hold the Lancs, but never sufficiently to allow them to score a try. Nor did Club look like scoring at this stage, and a last-minute rally by the Lancs was only foiled by their own indifferent passing.

Locke's condition unchanged

Capetown, Feb. 21. The condition of Bobby Locke, South African golfer injured in the collision between a car and a train near here on Friday night, was stated tonight to be unchanged.

He was conscious but no visitors were being allowed to see him.—Reuter.

MILESTONES OF SPORT

WEMBLEY'S BIG SURPRISE

By ARCHIE QUICK

At last year's Army Cup Final the Adjutant of Aldershot Garrison looked at me and said: "I know you. Don't you come from Portsmouth? Weren't you at the 1939 Cup Final? Didn't you join a party of Wolverhampton supporters in a Charing Cross Road celebration in the evening?"

I admitted it all, and the Adjutant then said that he too was in the celebration party as a Wolves supporter. It was a good piece of recognition after 20 years of what was after all a minor incident, but the Adjutant Major had nothing about which to celebrate!

For that conversation recalled one of the most amazing Cup Finals ever staged at Wembley—unconsidered Portsmouth's 4-1 defeat of the mighty Wanderers—and it was only the other day in a Fleet Street tavern that Pompey's captain that historic day, Jimmy Guthrie, and myself were remembering the glory of the Hampshire club's sole Cup success, after two defeats by Manchester City and Bolton Wanderers.

Third time lucky

It was indeed "third time lucky," Guthrie was a slim youngster from Dundee in 1939; now he is a portly gentleman after many years as Chairman of the Players' Union.

There are so many tales to tell of that particular Final. Soon after, of course, the lights went out in Europe for Hitler's War, and Portsmouth FC actually held the Cup for the duration.

The prized trophy was buried by the club Chairman, Mr. Vernon Stokes, in the garden of his house at the top of Portsmouth Hill above Portsmouth Harbour and only a mile or so from General Eisenhower and General Montgomery's D-Day Headquarters. The Cup stayed six feet deep in the earth through the years.

Another story Guthrie tells is of the signing of the Wembley Book done by all players before a Final. Pompey's Jimmy Stewart noticed that the Wolves were so excited that they had only managed a series of almost indecipherable doodles instead of autographs. "We've got them beaten before the start," he said, and what a true prophet he proved to be!

Then again, Manager Jack Tinn pulled off a smart stroke in psychology by getting his great friend Albert Burdon, the Geordie comedian, to travel in the coach to the Stadium with the team and also go into their dressing room. Burdon kept the party in good humour with a stream of music-hall quips. Before that, when I had been with them at Bognor Regis, the strain was beginning to tell.

One other point was that one of the great successes of the match was Portsmouth inside-

forward Bert Barlow, who had been transferred to the Hampshire club from Wolverhampton only the previous February.

Never got going

As for the match itself, the Wolves never got going and even the great Stanley Culla made goalmouth mistakes. On the other hand Portsmouth, wonderfully skippered by Guthrie, settled down straight away and Barlow and Anderson gave them a 2-0 half-time lead. Parker made it 3-0, Dorsett reduced the margin and finally Parker scored once more.

How proud, Guthrie recalls, he was to take the Cup from the hands of the Majesty King George the Sixth.

Peruvians win in Saigon

Saigon, Feb. 21. The visiting Peruvian soccer team beat a Vietnamese Sport Youth Association and Police combined team 4-0 today at Conghio Stadium.

It was the second match played here by the Peruvian team, scheduled to play three matches in all with Vietnamese teams.

The Peruvian team who lost 2-1 on Saturday to the Vietnamese Armed Forces team, adopted faster and better tactics today and seemed determined on getting a good score although faced with a weaker team.—AP.

Sports Diary

TODAY
Squash, final at Victoria Barracks courts, 6.30 p.m.
Interport Sub-Committee meeting, Sports Road, 8 p.m.
Colony Open grasscourt and IKCC tennis championships at IKCC standing at 5.15 p.m.

TOMORROW
Football
Div. 1: KMB v Police (BS), 4.15 p.m.
Reserve Div: KMB v Police (BS), 2.40 p.m.

Tennis
Colony Open grasscourt and IKCC tennis championships at IKCC standing at 5.15 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Football
Army v Royal Navy and RAF combined, IKCC.

Football
Div. 1: Tung Wah v South China (H.K. Stadium), 6 p.m.
Reserve Div: Tung Wah v South China (H.K. Stadium), 6.30 p.m.

Tennis
Colony Open grasscourt and IKCC tennis championships at IKCC standing at 5.15 p.m.

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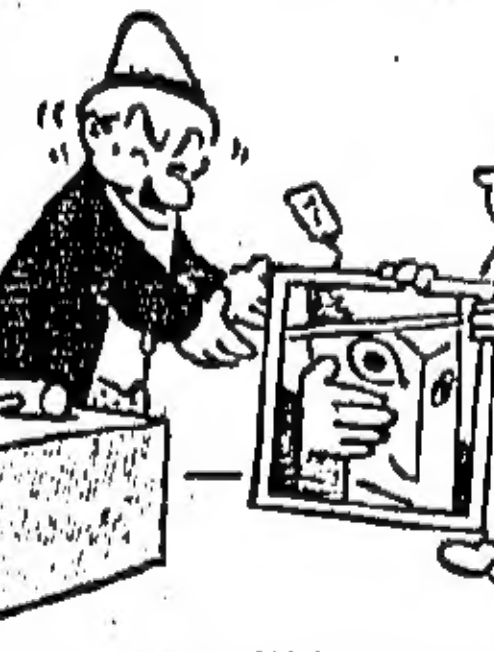
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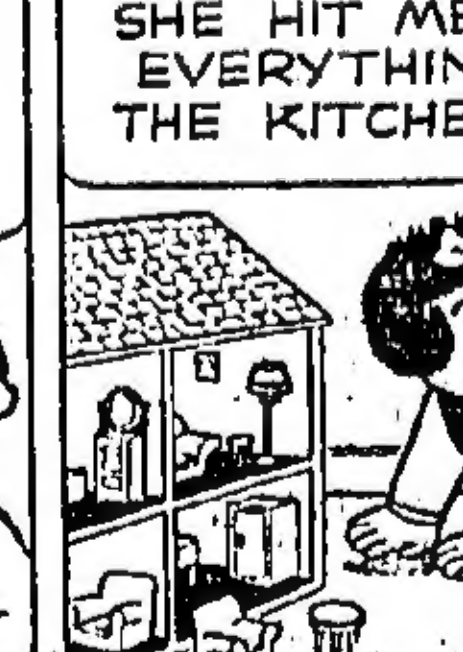
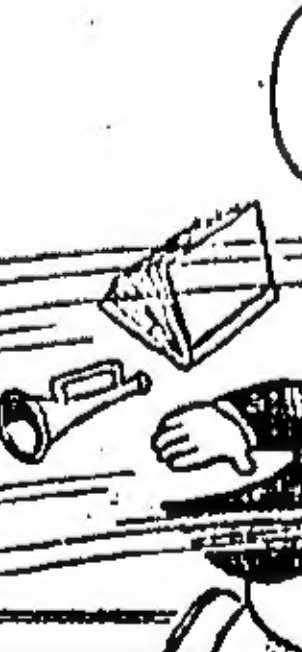
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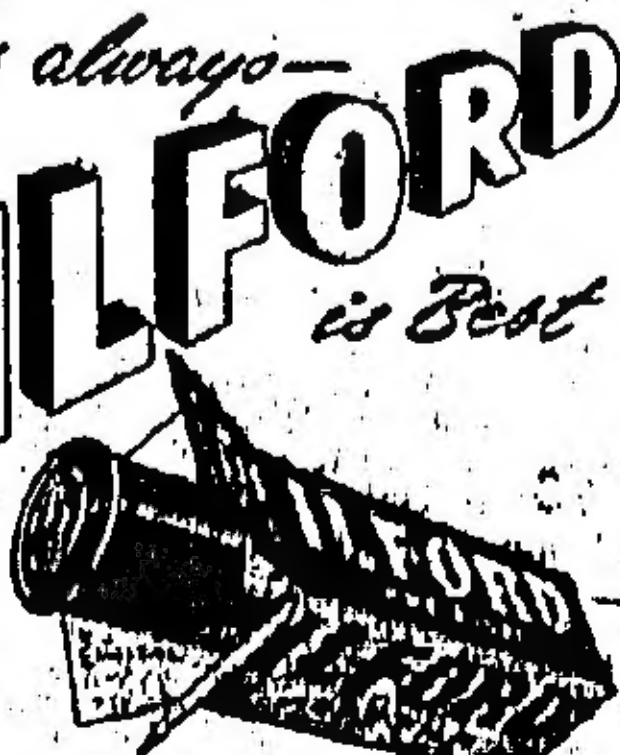
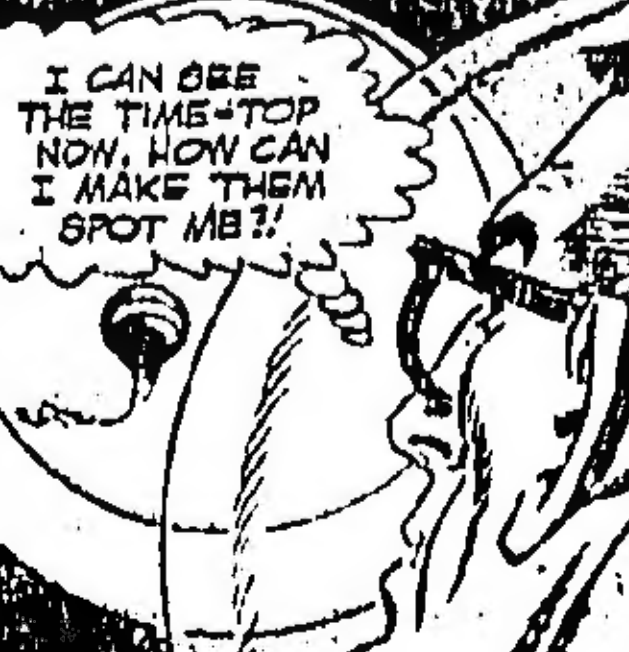
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TV team in search for location

A team of Australian television cameramen started a location hunt this morning for a half-hour film commentary on Hongkong.

The team which arrived last Thursday by CPA will be filming in Hongkong for the next 10 days.

The commentary called "Hongkong Today" will be shown all over Australia under the production of television station ABC Channel 2.

The film will be the first ever made by an Australian company on Hongkong.

Majority of the film will deal with Hongkong's refugee problem and producers hope that the commentary will stimulate an understanding in Australia of the plight of the refugees in the Colony.

The camera team will use a helicopter for shooting scenes in the resettlement areas. The company also hope to make a few short five minute features on special subjects in Hongkong.

Stall keepers fined \$300

Two timber-stall keepers who pleaded guilty to a charge of occupying crown land without a licence were each fined \$300 or one month's jail by Central Magistrate Mr Derek Coss this morning.

They were 61-year-old Ho Kuen and 52-year-old Poon Luen.

Two others, Tam Fuk and Poon Tung, both 50, were each fined \$50 for the same offence.

Appeal against conviction on bribery

A man convicted of offering a \$1,000 bribe to a police officer had not known when he offered the money that he was a police officer or a public servant, Mr Oswald Cheung, told the Full Court of Appeals this morning.

He was appearing for Chow Hei who is appealing against a conviction on charges of corruptly offering DSI Poon \$1,000 to follow in arresting two others for possession of dangerous drugs during a raid on a hut on November 27, last year.

He is also appealing against a confiscation order made by the Judge in relation to the \$1,000.

Mr Cheung asked that if the court upheld the conviction that he be allowed to further appeal against the severity of the sentence imposed, on the grounds that it was excessive.

No evidence

Mr Cheung said that throughout the trial no evidence had been offered that the liquid found boiling over a fire in the hut where the arrests were made was a dangerous drug although the Judge had accepted this as a fact.

Therefore, he said, the appellant could not be convicted of offering a bribe to DSI Poon to forebear taking action against two persons under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance.

"No evidence was called from the Government Analyst and all that appeared in the evidence was that the Inspector Poon thought the liquid was dangerous drugs."

"Secondly it was mentioned in the court that one of the two men had been convicted of the possession of dangerous drugs."

and the Judge allowed this as admissible evidence despite the protests of my instructing solicitor.

"The fact that one pleaded guilty to the charge and no correlation to this case and should not have been allowed," he said.

Mr Cheung continued that there was no evidence that at the time the appellant offered the bribe to Insp. Poon he knew that Poon was a police officer.

Plain clothes

"It is essential that the person offering the bribe should know at the time of making the offer that the person he was offering it to was a public officer if he is to be charged with corruptly offering."

"The arresting officers were in plain clothes and the mere fact that they arrested these people does not indicate they are police officers."

Hearing is continuing.

The Full Court consists of the Acting Chief Justice, Mr Justice J. R. Gress, Mr Justice C. W. Hesse, and the Acting Police Judge, Mr W. A. Blair-Kerr.

Police clash with African rioters

Chingolo, Feb. 21. Police last night used tear gas and baton-charged three times to break up a stone-throwing crowd of Africans outside a stadium where a Billy Graham Evangelist group was holding a meeting.

About 30 Africans started to shout "Kwaca" (Down) and "Freedom" outside the Nchanga Stadium near here, and stones were thrown at police who tried to disperse them.—Reuter.

Pleasing concert by Japanese soprano

ON Saturday night at Wah Yan College, Bernard Ho presented one of the best singers I have heard in Hongkong — the Japanese soprano Michiko Sunahara.

Madame Sunahara has a pure fresh voice, very well trained, and powerful, considering her size.

She can produce some full notes in the top register with clarity and richness, although at times there was a slight metallic ring to them, and an occasional nasal effect in the lower register. The middle register was uniformly rich and beautifully clear.

But for me, the outstanding feature of her singing was her impeccable intonation. Not one note was the slightest bit out of tune the whole evening.

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Madame Sunahara opened the programme with two arias from Mozart operas, "The Marriage of Figaro" and "Don Giovanni". These were excellent "openers" preparing the way for the group of lovely songs by Mendelssohn. Of these, I thought the most beautiful was "Bei der Wiege".

Here one caught the richness of the singer's voice, especially in the middle register, and her perfect breath control and consequently beautiful gradation of tone colour.

The "Villanelle" by Del Aquila was not so effective, in my

Police drug raid

Police seized more than 20 pounds of morphine and heroin in a Hunghom flat in an early morning raid on New Year's Eve, the Victoria District Court was told this morning.

Before Judge W. F. Pickering, a 32-year-old woman, Yau Pui-him, who claimed to be an amah in the flat, pleaded not guilty to charges of possession of the drugs and permitting the unlawful storage of heroin.

Chief Insp. C. L. Smith, prosecuting, said that a police party led by Det. Insp. Chan Kim-wan of the CID raided No. 18 Hung Kwong Street, eighth floor, Hunghom, early on December 31.

They gained entry to the flat by opening the iron door with a key which they had obtained previously, Insp. Smith said.

On entering the flat, they found no one inside. In a rear room, they found quantities of drugs and paraphernalia.

Police remained in the flat until about 8 a.m. when the accused returned to the house. She described herself as a maid-servant looking after the property on the premises, Insp. Smith said.

Hearing is continuing.

Man, woman assaulted

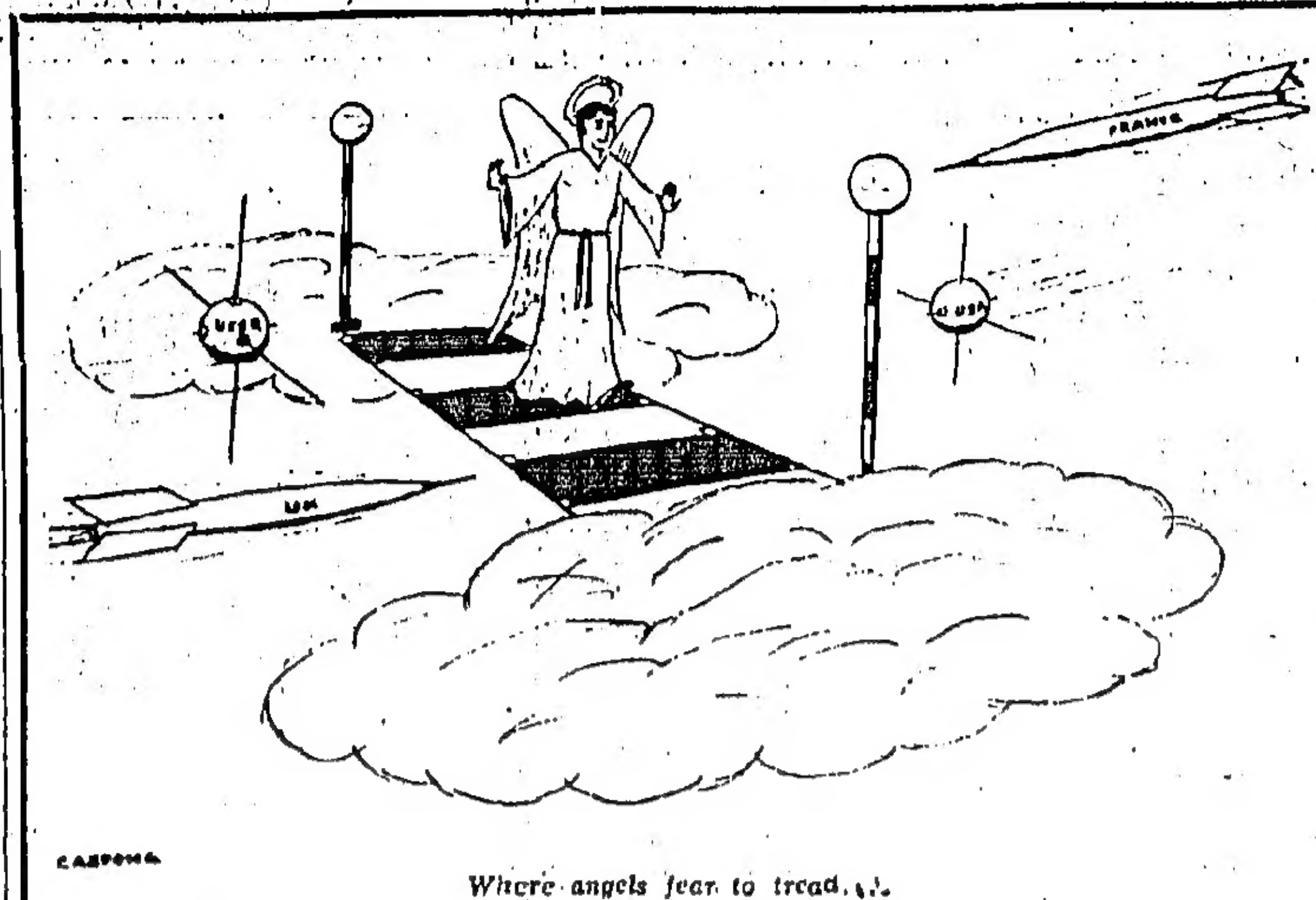
A man and a woman were injured at about 8 p.m. yesterday when they were attacked by a man with an axe and hot tar at a hut at Lin Fa Kung Hill, Tai Hang.

The victims were admitted to Queen Mary Hospital for treatment.

A man has been detained by the police for enquiries.

Mody Road theft

A thief broke into No. 43 Mody Road, 7th floor, between 11.15 a.m. and 12.15 p.m. yesterday and stole a quantity of jewellery and a sum of money to a total value of \$810.



Cartoonist Clive, 13, amazes local artists

CHINA MAIL REPORTER

Hongkong may soon be producing a child prodigy cartoonist.

The great hope is 13-year-old English born, Clive Spang, who has amazed local artists by his talent.

Last week Clive's father, a hospital secretary, submitted one of his son's cartoons.

The editor of the China Mail organised an immediate interview with the young artist.

Mr Spang said that he saw the cartoon (pictured) lying around Clive's bedroom.

"He had no idea of doing anything with it but I saw it and liked it, so I sent it to your newspaper," he said.

"Clive would never have done it in a million years because he did not think it was good enough to show people," Mr Spang added.

About 15 minutes

Clive told the China Mail that the cartoon took him "about 15 minutes or so."

"That's why I don't think it's particularly good," he explained.

"If I had known Dad was going to post it into the paper I would have spent more time on it," he added.

The sketch was Clive's first attempt at cartooning but he hopes to continue "as soon as I get a few original ideas."

The cartoon represents the fact that there are so many spunkies and guided missiles whizzing around the heavens that even the angels need pedestrian crossings.

Clive who has been drawing ever since he was a tot hopes to make a career out of art.

But like all professional "men" Clive is searching for a gimmick.

"You know how some artists have a particular character or animal, well I'm trying to get the same thing."

"I may even make up a character of a hospital secretary... just like Dad."

Last chance for Mongkok pickpocket

At Kowloon District Court this morning, Judge A. A. Higgins, gave 35-year-old Au Cheung his last chance to stay out of prison and keep away from a life of crime.

He placed Au, who had pleaded guilty to a charge of theft, under the supervision of a probation officer for the next three years, and ordered that, during this period Au must remain on the job found for him.

The accused last week admitted he had picked the pocket of a woman shopper in Mongkok in January and stole one dollar and a handkerchief.

After consulting Au's past record, Judge Higgins then said that it was apparent that defendant would spend the rest of his life in and out of prison. He then ordered a probation officer to make a report on Au's background.

Overseas Chinese return via Hongkong

A large number of overseas Chinese people returned to Mainland China from Indonesia and Cambodia via Hongkong last year.

The number is believed to have reached 150,000 and it may increase this year.

The repatriates included adults and school children.

To screen the big annual influx, the Chinese authorities were reported to have planned to build a reception centre at Shumchun, capable of accommodating 1,600 at a time.

The centre is directly under the control of the Canton Public Security Bureau.

The centre will arrange for the resettlement of the returned Chinese.

Cyprus talks will be resumed

London, Feb. 21. Britain tonight announced the resumption of formal negotiations with Cyprus leaders in an effort to speed the independence on Cyprus.

A Foreign Office statement said the Undersecretary of State for the Colonies, Mr Julian Amery, will fly to Cyprus on Tuesday to continue the talks broken off nearly two weeks ago.

The announcement raised hopes here that a final settlement of the long Cyprus dispute is near, perhaps based on a proposed compromise over the size of the British bases on Cyprus.—AP.

Maha Shiv Ratri

Under the auspices of The Hindu Association, Maha Shiv Ratri will be celebrated from 7.30 p.m. to 9.30 p.m. on Thursday at the Hindu Temple.

Denmark's new Premier

Copenhagen, Feb. 21. The Finance Minister, Mr Viggo Kampmann was appointed Denmark's new Prime Minister today by King Frederick following Premier H. C. Hansen's death last Friday.

Mr Kampmann, 40, is this country's first Socialist Premier with a university education. He has studied economy at the Copenhagen University.—AP.

Armed robbery

A Chinese, armed with a knife, robbed a woman of \$910 on the staircase of No. 230 Hennessy Road at about 2.35 a.m. yesterday.

Manager of the company is Mr Peter Cheung.

His friends in the Colony will learn with regret of the death of Major Louis Cassel in London, one-time resident in Hongkong.

He was Press censor in Hongkong during the Great War and was a keen motorist being a committee member of the HKAA.

He was also the founder of The Critic, a Hongkong weekly journal, of which he was for a time editor.

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